

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Ian P. Murray

Docket Number: 103376.00176

Serial No.: 10/544,091

Art Unit: ****

I.A. Filed: January 29, 2004

Examiner: ****

For: Multi-Axial Positioning System for a Surgically-Implanted Spinal Support

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

September 8, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

One Month (\$120)

Two Months (\$450)

Three Months (\$1,020)

X Four Months (\$1,590)

A check in the amount of \$1,590.00 is enclosed. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any extra fees or overages to deposit account no. 50-1752.

Respectfully submitted,

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